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Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are offered in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated July 27, 2005. A petition and fee for a one month extension of time is attached. This response is timely because November 27, 2005 is a Sunday and the date of transmission of this response is the next business day. These amendments are respectfully submitted as a full and complete response to that Action.

Please amend the above referenced application as follows: